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April 14, 1953

MEMORANDUM FOR THE WORKING GROUP (STALIN)

SUBJECT: Agenda, WGS Meeting, April 15, 10:30 a.m.

Since we have to cover a lot of ground in a very short time, I would like to suggest that you think over the following questions in advance and have your views as ready as you conveniently can under the circumstances:

1. Does the speech fit the plan or require changes in it?
2. Are the attached draft changes OK?
3. Should proposed revisions be submitted for Board action now or accumulated for a while longer?
4. How can we best concert our efforts to carry out paragraph 3 of our Terms of Reference:
 - a. Are the State and CIA supporting plans consistent with the speech and the basic plan as revised? Should other supporting plans or projects be undertaken by your department or agency right away?
 - b. What political, military or economic actions might be recommended during the coming weeks in support of the overall program?
 - c. What intelligence or other information can you make available to WGS so that it can keep adequately abreast of developments both abroad and in U.S. Governmental thinking?
5. Should any other agencies be linked with WGS at this time (Terms of Reference, paragraph B)?
6. When should I make my first report to the Chairman of PSB and what should it contain?

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Acting Director.

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